PATENT Attorney Docket No. 47778.400 THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Application of: Irwin J. GRIFFITH et al. Group Art Unit: 1806 Serial No.: 08/226,248 A. Caputa Filed: April 8, 1994 Examiner: FEB 0 7 1997 ALLERGENIC PROTEINS AND For: PEPTIDES FROM JAPANESE GROUD 1200 CEDAR POLLEN I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231. Date of Signature and of Mail Deposit

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Applicants provide the following amendment in response to the Office Action dated September 23, 1996. A petition for a one month extension of time and the corresponding fee of \$110.00 is filed concurrently herewith. Please reconsider the outstanding rejections in view of the amendments and arguments made herein.

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